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MANAGEMENT

PRIORITIES # 7 AND #9

Cultural Heritage of the Ocean

Collaboration and Conflict Resolution

Meet Our July Presenter

MP # 7 and # 9

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‘Āina is one of OHA’s strategic priority areas; a focus which supports Management Priorities #7, Cultural Heritage of the Ocean, and #9, Collaboration and Conflict Resolution. This month we will explore the inextricable link between these two priorities, and how our partners at OHA have supported the implementation of the ORMP in their activities and efforts throughout the state.

MP # 7 and # 9 Goals

- ◇ Preserve cultural heritage of the ocean and protect Native Hawaiian rights for access and gathering in ocean and on coastline, and protect ocean and coastal resources upon which Native Hawaiian cultural practices depend
- ◇ Support restoration of Hawaiian fishponds through permitting, community projects, and technical assistance
- ◇ Fully utilize the ORMP Policy Group as a forum to discuss state ocean resource management, and to raise and resolve issues, and to resolve conflicts when appropriate



Questions?

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